

REMARKS

Claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11-17, 21-25, 29, and 31-34 are pending in the present application.

Applicants wish to thank Examiner Robertson for the indication that Claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 9-17, 20-26, 28, 31, 32, and 35 are allowed and that Claims 8, 9, 18, 19, 27, 29, 30, 33, 34, 36, and 37 are allowable (paper number 14, page 4, numbered paragraphs 3-4).

The objection to Claims 8, 19, 27, 29, 34, and 36 for recitation of “anyone” rather than the appropriate “any one” is obviated by amendment. Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for kindly drawing this typographical error to their attention. Withdrawal of this ground of objection is requested.

The objection to Claims 8, 18, 19, 27, 29, 30, 33, 34, 36, and 37 under 37 C.F.R. §1.75 as being substantial duplicates is obviated by cancellation of Claims 9, 18-20, 26-28, 30, and 35-37.

Applicants note that the cancellation of Claims 9, 18-20, 26-28, 30, and 35-37 is solely to expedite allowance of the allowed claims and in no way intend to acquiesce to the reasons cited for objection. Therefore, it is requested that the cancellation of Claims 9, 18-20, 26-28, 30, and 35-37 be without prejudice toward presentation of these claims in a subsequent continuation application.

In view of the cancellation of Claims 9, 18-20, 26-28, 30, and 35-37, Applicants believe that this ground of objection is now moot. Withdrawal of this objection is requested.

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Applicants submit that the present application is now in condition for allowance.

Early notification of such action is earnestly solicited.

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